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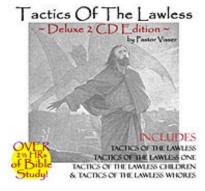
Proverbs 25:25: "As cold waters to a thirsty soul, so is good news from a far country."



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# suggested compact discs:



### **Tactics of the Lawless (2 Disc Set)**

This special double CD set contains all four "Tactics" series sermons; Tactics of the Lawless, Tactics of the Lawless One, Tactics of the Lawless Children and Tactics of the Lawless Whores. This is an awesome collector's set and an even greater study into the reality of Satan and false prophets from a Biblical viewpoint. Included with this important package is the CPM MP3 Sermon Disc [2005] which runs over twenty hours!

Running Time = 2:04 (+ 20 hour MP3 disc!)

### **Every Green Herb For Man (Expanded Edition)**

Pastor Visser has finally released his long-awaited **Herb For The Service Of Man** sermon doubled with **Every Green Herb For Meat** as a single study running under 45 minutes. This is a detailed lesson that centers around the topic of herbs as found in the Holy Bible and also covers the differences between 'God and mammon' while examining the many differences between the two. Also contains **Is Easter Christian?** and expanded content.

Running Time = 1:12



### Noah's Flood: Flesh or Beast





### Noah's Flood: Flesh or Beast?

Covering four entire chapters of Genesis, Pastor Visser supports the claim that Noah's flood was not worldwide but merely sent to destroy the mixed Nephalim from off the face of a particular geographic area. This is an in-depth study about the Noahic Covenant made by Yahweh that is still binding to Christians in these latter days -- also considered essential listening for all seedliners. **Solomon's Strange Wives** is included.

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## also noteworthy:

Covering Genesis 13, 18 and 19 in their entirety, **Sodomites: Haters of God** is rather popular because it's a lectionary style study into the downfall of Sodom and Gomorrah that also examines the actions of both Lot and Abraham. In less than 45 minutes, Pastor Visser has provided a helpful overview of God's thoughts on homosexuals while detailing the incestuous acts of Lot's daughters.

Thou Shalt Not Suffer A Witch To Live (24 minutes) deals with the unsavory topic of witches and their influence in today's society. Pastor Visser gives several Biblical examples of witches or sorceresses and then proceeds to contrast man's dealings with the serial killer Charles Manson to the eternal commandments of God. Copies of this cheerful sermon were mailed to "the Manson family."

CPM's **Do Not Err: Exposition of James** (the Complete Version) covers the entire "general" epistle of James in about an hour's time. We examine six perfect things, temptations, double-mindedness, gifts from Yahweh, the engrafted word, pure religion, the 'royal' law, daily food, imputed righteousness and that's just in the first half-hour! A distinguished study sermon.

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# news from covenant people's church:



First Quarter 2006

Greetings in the mighty name of Jesus Christ!

2005 was both an exciting and troublesome year for **Covenant People's Ministry** yet the fruits of our labors resulted in over forty original audio and text sermons released to the general public. We have attracted many new supporters through various websites and periodicals so additional plans are in the works to further increase our 'voice' this year.

Arguably, the most controversial sermon released in 2005 was **Samhain: Greenman of Death** because it generated an overwhelming amount of responses from both sides of the spectrum. **Herb For The Service of Man** also caused quite a stir when a fellow kinsman chose to launch a feeble attack upon my abilities even going so far as attempting to 'excommunicate' me from an organization he held no power in. Special thanks go to Morris L. Gulett (Senior Pastor at Church of the Sons of YHVH) for his assistance in resolving this matter and setting the record straight. I have urged my listeners to write Pastor Gulett in numerous sermons and do so again.

This new year promises to see many new 'expository style' sermons beginning with a complete study on the epistles of Peter which should be completed by mid February. This powerful examination will accent **Do Not Err** which is an exposition of James' letter and hopefully a future **New Testament Commentary** will be released by **Covenant People's Books**. The spiritual need for a proper "Kingdom New Testament" is great and such a work would obviously be well received by Christian believers on a more global scale.

There is also an immense need for a proper Israel church in Georgia and this ministry receives numerous requests for fellowship each month. Naturally, CPM plans to expand its base by enlarging our congregation and physical building. If this undertaking could directly bless you, please consider assisting this ministry by donating supplies or materials. We also hope to establish a more dependable broadcast by Citizen's Band.

Thanks are in order for everyone who has helped CPM to blossom. We're continually **Godcasting** by direct feed for Saxon Christians who carry **iPods** or portable MP3 players and video sermons are underway. We intend to shoot many Bible studies in an outdoor gazebo so that the natural video backdrop changes with the seasons and the added effect of rain or snow will make these DVDs collectable, not to mention informative.

It's our wish that you help to distribute these newsletters so in this issue of the **Covenant People's Newsletter** we've included quotes from Protestant Reformers and Bible scholars about the apostate church in Rome that still works alongside the enemy to attack us. Many hate Truth (John 17:17) and we're told to call no living man father (Matthew 23:9) so beware of the papacy or anything that resembles such an abomination.

Pray for each other and fight the good fight because Satan's spawn never sleep.

Under the Precious Blood of Jesus.

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# monogamy and the bride of christ



by Pastor Visser

This evening's sermon is called Monogamy and the Bride of Christ and I would like to discuss the issues of Biblical monogamy and polygamy and how they pertain to us in today's day and age. In all my days I never dreamed I would have to bring forth a study on these clear-cut aspects but many so-called Christians are now injecting venomous 'new doctrines' that promote the taking of more than one wife. The Word of God plainly states that we're to have one bride, period.

It should be no shock that these same 'believers' refuse other Old Testament teachings such as the food Laws or worse but will twist and manipulate scripture out of their own flesh desires to "lead captive silly women laden with sins, led away with divers lusts (2 Timothy 3:6)." After hearing this important sermon I hope that there will be no doubt in your minds that it is part of Yahweh's grand design for His followers to have only one spouse and has always taught as such from the beginning.

What's pretty startling is the fact that it has been only a mere twenty-five years since the Mormon church turned away from its original teachings on race and polygamy resulting in underground 'splinter groups' that now practice this anti-Biblical lifestyle in secret. It is estimated that there are over 30,000 practicing polygamists in America today, a majority of which live in Utah and Arizona -- the recent case of Tom Green and his five wives with twenty-five children might come to our minds.

Like all things in life, we can either choose God or mammon and usually those who fall aside to "the ways of world" do so out of their own selfish desires or flat-out refusal to follow what is clearly defined in our beloved scriptures. We will be expanding upon the themes of marriage as found in our Law while examining the examples of both David and Solomon who both brought evil upon their heads by refusing to do as Yahweh commanded. There is nothing good in having more than one life-partner.

#### (In The Beginning:)

I'd like to start in Matthew 19:3-6 that reads; "The Pharisees came unto him [Jesus], tempting him, and saying unto him, Is it lawful for a man to put away his wife for every cause? And he answered and said unto them, Have ye not read, that he which made them at the beginning made them male and female, And said, For this cause shall a man leave father and mother, and shall cleave to his wife: and they twain shall be one flesh? Wherefore they are no more twain, but one flesh. What therefore God hath joined together, let not man put asunder."

One means just that -- one. Furthermore, because husband and wife are 'one' they further justify each another as Paul taught; "The unbelieving husband is sanctified by the wife, and the unbelieving wife is sanctified by the husband (1 Corinthians 7:14)." It's also the very reason that we're to "love our wives as their own bodies (Eph 5:28)" because "He that loveth his wife loveth himself (Eph 5:28)." Both man and woman were designed to be one flesh or body -- children are an example of this.

Let's keep reading; "They say unto him, Why did Moses then command to give a writing of divorcement, and to put her away? He saith unto them, Moses because of the hardness of your hearts suffered you to put away your wives: but from the beginning it was not so (Matthew 19:7-8)." Again, the Creator Jesus taught that "at the beginning it was not so" meaning that Adam man possessed no ability to "put away his wife" nor was Eve his personal possession (as in little better than an animal).

If one can't see 'the seduction of Eve' as Paul plainly taught and put 'the fall of man[kind]' into proper perspective then they probably can't even see what the next passage is saying; "I say unto you, Whosoever shall put away his wife [singular], except it be for fornication, and shall marry another, committeth adultery: and whoso marrieth her which is put away

doth commit adultery. His disciples say unto him, If the case of the man be so with his wife, it is not good to marry. But he said unto them, All men cannot receive this saying, save they to whom it is given (Matthew 19:9-11)."

The word Jesus spoke transliterated as 'fornication' is taken from porneia (Strong's #G4202) which is also where we get our modern-day term of 'porn, porno or pornography.' I am teaching this only to give you something to ponder because while it's sure not the entire meaning of the word it's without a doubt part of it because porneia can also mean "harlotry, adultery, incest or idolatry." Serving another 'god' is also considered 'adultery' against Yahweh so let's keep our eyes and thoughts wholesome.

Also, beware of getting hung-up on terms like 'equality' because it's not the same thing as oneness. Oneness means that both man and woman are to be one unit with different positions while 'equality' is a bogus term that has been perverted by the enemy. If the Israel people are God's 'bride' and the bridegroom Jesus is considered 'one' with God then we're to do the same as He and have only one spouse. Jesus Christ is our perfect example to follow and thankfully He has only one bride -- us.

#### (One Wife Only:)

Turn with me in your Bibles to 1st Timothy, chapter 3 and we'll begin reading right at the top; "This is a true saying, If a man desire the office of a bishop, he desireth a good work. A bishop then must be blameless, the husband of one wife, vigilant, sober, of good behaviour, given to hospitality, apt to teach." Now, skip on down to verse 12; "Let the deacons be the husbands of one wife, ruling their children and their own houses well." Straight-forward enough.

In this particular chapter Paul is addressing the requirements for a 'bishop' of Jesus' own church meaning that any so-called pastor who preaches that it's okay to have more than one wife under the New Covenant isn't to be harkened to and is in violation of the scripture, period. One wife is simply that - one. Many snakes will try to wiggle out of this one by saying that they're not preachers nor involved with the church so it doesn't apply but we're all called to be teachers so it doesn't work.

Paul gets much more specific however; "Nevertheless, to avoid fornication, let every man have his own wife [singular], and let every woman have her own husband [singular]. Let the husband render unto the wife due benevolence: and likewise also the wife unto the husband (1Co 7:2-3)." In these verses Paul is specifically using the term wife and husband in the individual sense -- it certainly doesn't say 'many wives.' This is also a New Testament commandment.

While Paul's personal choice was to take no bride of his own he also taught us that "it is better to marry than to burn (1st Corinthians 7:9)" giving everybody the option to marry another or not. He also repeats a very similar admonition to Titus; "If any be blameless, the husband of one wife, having faithful children not accused of riot or unruly. For a bishop must be blameless, as the steward of God (Titus 1:6-7)." As you can see already Paul was supportive of monogamous marriage in general.

Monogamy is not just a New Testament principle by the way because the 10th Commandment reads; "Thou shalt not covet thy neighbour's house, thou shalt not covet thy neighbour's wife [singular], nor his manservant, nor his maidservant, nor his ox, nor his ass, nor any thing that is thy neighbour's (Exodus 20:17)." We should also take note that whenever the Mosaic law had so-called 'provisions' for polygamy it always reads conditional like; If he take him another wife (Exodus 21:10)."

Before looking closer at the kings David and Solomon we should first establish the fact that the taking of more than one wife is expressly forbidden for Israelite kings; "Neither shall he multiply wives to himself, that his heart turn not away: neither shall he greatly multiply to himself silver and gold (Deuteronomy 17:17)." There are several examples of polygamists found in our Bibles but practically every time this act occurs there is a direct negative result because of it.

#### (Bad Biblical Examples:)

The first recorded polygamist was the murderer Lamech (Genesis 4:23–24) followed by Esau (Genesis 26:34) and because Yahweh's Law flat-out forbids the kings of Israel to be polygamous examples of disobedience can be seen by the murderous 'sibling rivalry' between David's sons from his different wives. Solomon's hundreds of wives helped lead Solomon to

idolatry (1st Kings 11:1–3) while Hannah (Samuel's mother) was humiliated by her husband Elkanah's other wife Peninnah (1 Samuel 1:1–7).

Even the beloved Jacob desired only Rachel but was tricked by his uncle Laban into accepting her sister Leah resulting in seven more years of his servitude. Father Abraham wanted only Sarah but fell aside and accepted Hagar because of the prompting from his 'faithless wife' to have a child as her own. Hagar the Egyptian is eventually expelled from Abraham's camp and her mixed son Ishmael is considered "wild' and "against every man (Genesis 16:12)." Most Christians are familiar with these two accounts.

During a low point in king David's reign he conspires to murder Uriah the Hittite so he can wed his wife Bathsheba. For this act of treason against God's Law and humanity, the prophet Nathan says; "because by this deed thou hast given great occasion to the enemies of YHVH to blaspheme, the child also born unto thee shall surely die (2nd Samuel 12:14)." As we can see for ourselves, David was found guilty of violating the Law and two others lose their life -- Uriah and the unfortunate progeny.

David's other son by Bathsheba was Solomon who later became the third king of Israel ruling in his father's place. While the wisdom of king Solomon has no equal neither then nor now, later in life he "did evil in the sight of the Yahweh (1st Kings 11:6)" because "his wives turned away his heart after other gods: and his heart was not perfect with Yahweh his God, as the heart of David his father (1st Kings 11:4)." For a deeper study, request the Solomon's Strange Wives CD or read it at our website.

#### (Jesus' Own Bride:)

Hopefully I have already given you plenty of Biblical references and reasons against polygamy. A more overlooked reason against this practice lies within 'the bride of Christ' itself -- Jeremiah 3:14-15 teaches us; "Turn, O backsliding children, saith YHVH; for I am married unto you: and I will take you one of a city, and two of a family, and I will bring you to Zion: And I will give you pastors according to mine heart, which shall feed you with knowledge and understanding."

The deeper student is aware that this is the very 'Bible story' itself and that "God manifest in the flesh (1 Timothy 3:16)" comes as Emmanuel "God with us (Matthew 1:23)" to reclaim his precious bride -- the Israel people. In Revelation 21:9 it says; "Come hither, I will shew thee the bride, the Lamb's wife" proving that His 'saints' are a specific remnant of believers. This account has been billed as The Greatest Love Story Never Told but I say it's a rather clear-cut Biblical concept.

John the Immerser gives us a glimpse of this; "He that hath the bride is the bridegroom: but the friend of the bridegroom, which standeth and heareth him, rejoiceth greatly because of the bridegroom's voice: this my joy therefore is fulfilled (John 3:30)." The very Covenant itself is a teaching against polygamy because God's unfaithful bride continually goes 'a whoring after [other] gods (Exodus 34:15)" and if it were not so there would be no 'chosen people' who are called more than the 'stranger.'

The reason for this is clear; "Did not he [YHVH] make one? Yet had he the residue of the spirit. And wherefore one? That he might seek a godly seed. Therefore take heed to your spirit, and let none deal treacherously against the wife of his youth. For YHVH, the God of Israel, saith that he hateth putting away: for one covereth violence with his garment, saith Yahweh of hosts: therefore take heed to your spirit, that ye deal not treacherously (Malachi 2:15-16)." I'm not ashamed to be called a "seedliner."

#### (Intention:)

Like usual, I pray that Jesus Christ -- the bridegroom -- get honored through this evening's sermon. If any so-called 'reverend' comes along introducing this destructive heresy we should be able to render a harsh rebuke based on the examples I've provided. Jesus equates his people as "equal" to the angels in Luke 20:34-36 so it shouldn't be a big thing for men to love their wives as themselves as we're commanded. You can't love your wife 'as yourself' without equating her on the same level that you are.

Paul says; "Neither is the man without the woman, neither the woman without the man, in the Lord. For as the woman is

of the man, even so is the man also by the woman; but all things of God (1st Corinthians 11:11-12" meaning that if we're to love our wives as ourselves than our woman would also be allowed to have several husbands if their bogus theory were correct. You'll find that sinful men who push this false teaching would also never consider sharing their wives with numerous suitors

"Husbands, love your wives, and be not bitter against them (Colosians 3:19)." Amen.

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# comments & criticism:



# questions & answers:

"My husband tried to tell me his history on Halloween and the history of his Scottish ancestors. He tried to explain why it was not a holiday that he would ever participate in celebrating (It was at that time the first I had heard of it and it really confused me). Finding your sermon today [Samhain: Green Man of Death] was the best thing that has happened to me in a while, thank you so much. I understand now and am horrified that I participated in this evil day for ANSWER: "Woman are forbidden from being teachers in the so long unknowingly. Never again though. But like you suggested every light will be on in my home with absolutely no participation. Only the worship and prayer to our Lord God and Jesus. Thank God for you! -- Po Gates, Carrie USCG (via CPM Forums)"

Howdy Pastor Visser, I'm glad you like the CDs [Break The Sword & Slay The Beast]. I'm even more glad that you're able to In today's age the enemy tries to make everyone seem 'equal' put some of the songs to use. If you run into any trouble with compressing the song files and converting them to MP3, you can give me a holler. If you are able to spread the word to our folk that the free CD is available by e-mailing Slaythebeast4YHVH@yahoo. com, it would be greatly appreciated. Yah Bless, Bob (via e-mail)"

NOTE: Scott A. Stedeford, a member of Break The Sword, is imprisoned by the beast in a federal institution. All support for this dedicated Christian soldier is greatly appreciated:

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"Thanks for the Wesley Swift MP3 sermons! -- Aaron (via mail)"

"I enjoyed listening to your sermon today [Hollywood's Wizard Wand of Satanic Images]! You made a lot of good points, and I agree about what you said about TV, even though I still keep one to keep up with what the enemy is doing. Watching the "Khazar Jews" play like victims as they are removed from Palestinian territory is almost laughable except for the sad fact that the "images" are an effort to make them sympathetic....good thing I have been enlightened! -- censored1962 (via CPM Forums)"

"Thank you for sharing the bread of the life of the gospel with the sheep of his pasture. May Jesus continue to dwell within you. -stardust (via CPM Forums)"

**QUESTION**: "I seriously dislike the idea of female "Pastors". I've been contacted several times by females claiming to be "Pastors" and they don't take it too well when I tell them the Bible forbids such things. Women cannot teach men can they? -- Christian Crusader (via CPM Forums)"

church and prohibited to ursurp authority over men in general. Naturally, this means that husbands are to love their wives as themselves (being one); "The wife hath not power of her own body, but the husband: and likewise also the husband hath not power of his own body, but the wife (1 Co 7:4)."

the Bible still teaches; "For the husband is the head of the wife, even as Christ is the head of the church: and he is the saviour of the body. Therefore as the church is subject unto Christ, so let the wives be to their own husbands in every thing (Eph 5:23-24)."

For more study, see Let Love Continue or Be Ye Holy."

**QUESTION**: "Who is the Antichrist? What signs do we look for at the end of time? -- Marty Simmons (via e-mail)"

ANSWER: "The word 'antichrist' is mentioned four times in scripture: 1st John 2:18, 2:22, 1 John 4:3 and John 1:7. The three main clues that distinguish a plural antichrist are: #1) They deny that Jesus is the Christ (Christos or the 'Messiah'). #2) They will not only deny Jesus as Lord but deny Yahweh in the process of doing so. #3) They confess that Jesus hasn't come in the flesh.

The second chapter of 2nd Thessalonians proves that it is the "early star" from Isaiah 14:12 who appears before Jesus Christ during the great apostasy. Christ also taught against the rapture Himself in Matthew 13:38 (in addition to other places).

For more study, see **Son of Perdition** or **Tactics of the Lawless.**"



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# spirit like a dove

### by Pastor Visser

Brethren, Webster's 1828 Dictionary defines the English word dove as; "a word of endearment, or an emblem of innocence" giving Song of Solomon 2:14 as a reference; "O my dove, that art in the clefts of the rock, in the secret places of the stairs, let me see thy countenance, let me hear thy voice; for sweet is thy voice, and thy countenance is comely." Most Bible enthusiasts know these verses so this should prove to be the shortest but most 'poetical' sermon released by Covenant People's Ministry to date.

Today, I intend to examine the significance of doves in our Holy Bible and show why when Jesus was baptized "he saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove, and lighting upon him (Matthew 3:16)." Webster's Dictionary continues to define the Biblical dove as simply a "domestic pigeon" of a "deep bluish ash color" but the purity of a white dove is undeni-



able and Yahweh considers them all sacred. In the most recent CPM: Freestyle broadcast I mentioned that God loves birds so much that He added additional Laws pertaining to their care and even king David once said; "Oh that I had wings like a dove! for then would I fly away, and be at rest (Psalm 55:6)." I can definitely relate.

Having grown up in Los Angeles, California practically across from the San Fernando Mission there are two distinct sounds that I remember from childhood – the echo of a real church bell ringing late into the night over the sounds of city traffic and the gentle call of the numerous doves who would line the ancient monastery walls or phone lines surrounding it. Even today I find the light "cooing" of a pigeon to be both beautiful and haunting and the same time, much like the true God of the Holy Bible.

### (Noah's Dove:)

Let's begin, the first dove mentioned in scripture is the one Noah releases into the sky after the flood upon the ungodly Nephalim. After he looses a disloyal raven that never returns, Noah then "sent forth a dove from him, to see if the waters were abated from off the face of the ground (Genesis 8:8)." We've covered this aspect already in Noah's Flood: Flesh or Beast? so today we should just notice that there was a form of partnership or deep bond between Noah and the flawless dove.

The flood account continues; "The dove found no rest for the sole of her foot, and she returned unto him into the ark, for the waters were on the face of the whole earth: then he put forth his hand, and took her, and pulled her in unto him into the ark. And he stayed yet other seven days; and again he sent forth the dove out of the ark (Genesis 8:9-10)."

In this chronicle we can find the closest Biblical account of someone 'accepting Christ' as the dove is representative of the Messiah and Noah draws her into the ark. While 'the hateful bird' circles the ark above, the loyal dove repeatedly returns to Noah until the proper time appointed and is actually guiding his family through the blackness of the storm. Matthew Henry's Commentary says this; "The dove is an emblem of a gracious soul, which finding no rest for its foot, no solid peace or satisfaction in this world, this deluged defiling world, returns to Christ as to its ark, as to its Noah. The carnal heart, like the raven, takes up with the world, and feeds on the carrions it finds there." How accurate are those words!

Still, here's the point when Noah knows that it's almost time to plant his vineyard; "the dove came in to him in the evening; and, lo, in her mouth was an olive leaf pluckt off: so Noah knew that the waters were abated from off the earth. And he stayed yet other seven days; and sent forth the dove; which returned not again unto him any more (Genesis 8:11-12)."

Jesus will only carry us a part of the Way and after that it's up to us to keep going, this is why faith is so important. It is faith that brings forth Godly sorrow leading to genuine repentance. Here's a perfect example - in Sodomites: Haters of God I proved that Abraham was 'chosen' over Lot because of his genuine heart and complete faithfulness, but what I didn't point out then was while Lot was being taken captive righteous Abram was making a continual offering to Yahweh and among the sacrificed a turtledove was offered (Genesis 15:9)." Unlike Sodom, the dove represents purity just like the Messiah Himself.

#### (Jesus' Dove:)

As a singular word, dove only appears four times in the New Testament scriptures and each time it's used in describing the bestowing of the Holy Spirit upon Jesus Christ. While reading these four specific verses, keep in mind that under the Old Covenant Nazarites who had made themselves 'unclean' by touching the dead were commanded to; "bring two young pigeons, to the priest, to the door of the tabernacle of the congregation: And the priest shall offer the one for a sin offering, and the other for a burnt offering, and make an atonement for him (Numbers 6:10-11)."

Nazarites were a chosen seedline above all others and in order to become (or remain) pure in the eyes of Yahweh it required the direct sacrifice of a dove. Lamentations 4:7 further teaches this about them; "Nazarites were purer than snow, they were whiter than milk, they were more ruddy in body than rubies, their polishing was of sapphire." That's certainly a vivid and perfect description of racial purity - white and ruddy. Still, there was none more pure than Christ.

Now, knowing that the dove represents purity - consider the first account; "Jesus, when he was baptized, went up straightway out of the water: and, lo, the heavens were opened unto him, and he saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove, and lighting upon him (Matthew 3:16)." Nobody but an antichrist would dare suggest that our perfect sacrifice for sin wasn't untainted and that's exactly what's being established in these accounts, both spiritually and physically.

Like Peter promises in Acts 2:38, baptism and repentance bring about the gift of the Holy Spirit and our perfect example Jesus Christ did likewise. In the Old Testament ordinances a dove sacrifice was also used for trespass offerings (Leviticus 5:7-10, 12:8), burnt offerings (Leviticus 1:14-17) and is used heavily in purification of lepers (Leviticus 14:22) or women (Leviticus 12:6-8, Luke 2:24). The symbolic significance of this dove is a form of 'cleansing' for the sacrifice and alter, both of which are now Jesus Christ.

This is the second rendering; "Straightway coming up out of the water, he saw the heavens opened, and the Spirit like a dove descending upon him (Mark 1:10)." This "spirit like a dove" is also representative of the purification of our own personal baptisms where we wash away all our old sins in the powerful 'blood' of the Messiah. Many false brethren like to explain away the importance of crucial baptism even though our own Savior was obviously immersed to begin His own ministry and the Holy Spirit isn't obtainable without such an act. It was directly after His baptism that Jesus was "led up of the Spirit into the wilderness to be tempted of the devil (Matthew 4:1)" so be sure to be baptized before attempting spiritual battle.

Still, the next Gospel proves that with Christ it was a physical dove because Luke explains it this way; "The Holy Ghost descended in a bodily shape like a dove upon him, and a voice came from heaven, which said, Thou art my beloved Son; in thee I am well pleased (Luke 3:22)." During baptism, the Holy Spirit falls "in a bodily shape (like a dove)" upon Jesus while Yahweh exclaims "Thou art my beloved Son; in thee I am well pleased" so at this point Christ becomes an acceptable sacrifice to the Father much like in the Old Testament rituals.

Finally, the fourth Gospel says; "John bare record, saying, I saw the Spirit descending from heaven like a dove, and it abode upon him (John 1:32)." Purity and separation are very essential, in fact it's the very meaning of the word holy so when we read these passages in a topical sense, we should be able to see that Jesus Christ is both our dove and protector being God in the flesh.

### (Dove Pushers:)

Like all things 'untainted' the enemy eventually perverts its meaning so let's examine another passage; "The Jews' passover was at hand, and Jesus went up to Jerusalem, And found in the temple those that sold oxen and sheep and doves, and the changers of money sitting: And when he had made a scourge of small cords, he drove them all out of the temple, and the sheep, and the oxen; and poured out the changers' money, and overthrew the tables; And said unto them that sold doves, Take these things hence; make not my Father's house an house of merchandise (John 2:13-16)."

How many churches in America today preach about Jesus Christ fashioning a "cat o' nine tails?" Most of the current 501(c)3 Babylonian whorehouses out there instead "with feigned words make merchandise of you (II Peter 2:3)" teaching unbiblical tripe. Consider this - these types of whips usually contained small pieces of sharp glass or stone embedded into

into the tips and with 'one in hand' Jesus goes about beating the jews from the temple while trashing their lucrative money-tables (Matthew 21:12, Mark 11:15). This event took place during the Passover or what would be celebrated in pagan circles today as "Easter" and this type of 'selling of indulgences' was protested by Jesus because He never tolerated evil. Jesus came against the universal church.

When speaking about spiritual warfare Jesus commands us thus; "Behold, I send you forth as sheep in the midst of wolves: be ye therefore wise as serpents, and harmless as doves (Matthew 10:16)." This command is seemingly the opposite of what transpired between Him and the wicked moneychangers who were already forming an early type of easy-believism by selling the very sacrifices that should be brought forth by the humble sinners themselves. For a moment, consider Abel and Cain or Jacob and Esau within this regard, which 'offering' was accepted most by Yahweh?

We must always be careful to avoid the 'broad way (Matthew 7:14)' and do as Yahweh requests. So many in life look for an 'easy fix' because they have placed God on the 'back burner' of life. Many of these poor souls can be found in the pagan-melded Catholick churches who forgive sins for a price or instead play the role of God as a 'pope' (which means "Father" in Latin, read Matthew 23:9). We must bring forth our own fruits of repentance and they must be sincere, anything less is abomination in the eyes of Yahweh - let's never fall into the trap of globalism.

### (Intention:)

My intention with this morning's study is to show the correlation between Jesus Christ and the dove and prove that our God and Savior is all things to all people, surprisingly many Christians lose sight of this. Micah 4:5 says; "For all people will walk every one in the name of his god, and we will walk in the name of Yahweh our God for ever and ever." Reading the Bible and trusting in it are two entirely different things and so few these days do the latter. Amen.

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### satanel: the rise and fall of the adversary

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#### leave that swine alone!

Those that seek to follow lawlessness will usually quote Peter's vision in the book of Acts more than any other section of scripture. Turn with me to Acts, chapter 10 and we'll start reading with verse 9; "On the morrow, as they went on their journey, and drew nigh unto the city, Peter went up upon the housetop to pray about the sixth hour: And he became very hungry, and would have eaten: but while they made ready, he fell into a trance, And saw heaven opened, and a certain vessel descending unto him, as it had been a great sheet knit at the four corners, and let down to the earth: Wherein were all manner of fourfooted beasts of the earth, and wild beasts, and creeping things, and fowls of the air. And there came a voice to him, Rise, Peter; kill, and eat. But Peter said, Not so, Lord; for I have never eaten any thing that is common or unclean. And the voice spake unto him again the second time, What God hath cleansed, call not thou common (Acts 10:9-15)."

Interesting of note is that the Apostle Peter himself "doubted in himself what this vision which he had seen should mean (Acts 10:17)" but so many modern teachers claim to have 'all understanding' about this particular vision. They will usually state that it's here where Yahweh 'lifted' the ban on His numerous food Laws and that because of this account it's okay to eat pork again. The sad thing about this mentality is that these same false teachers are bastardizing the 'Dispersion to the Gentiles' given to Peter and his ministry. Let's see what this vision really means using the Bible as it's own narrative.

Simply skip on down to the 28th verse and we'll find the needed answer when Peter himself says "Ye know how that it is an unlawful thing for a man that is a Judean to keep company, or come unto one of another nation; but God hath shewed me that I should not call any **man** common or unclean." There is a huge difference between **man** and animal and as you can see this is the exact opposite teaching of what most 'one-verses-preachers' seek to promote. I suggest that you take the time to read the entire account in your own private study because if you intend to do as Yahweh says, this will be the verse that our common enemy uses against you, guaranteed.

# comments on the 'pope' of Rome

for those who love to debate history



**Thomas Cranmer** (1489-1556)

Thomas Cranmer, creator of the English Reformed Church, is quoted as saying, "Wherefore it followeth Rome to be the seat of Antichrist, and the pope to be the very antichrist himself."

### **Charles H. Spurgeon** (1834-1892)

Bible scholar Charles Spurgeon taught, "We must warn with Judicious boldness those who are inclined towards the errors of Rome; we must tell them of the black doings of Popery."





**John Calvin** (1509-1564)

Upper-class lawyer and reformer John Calvin once said, "We call the Roman pontiff Anti-christ." Calvin is well-known for his commentaries and the Institutes of the Christian Church.

### **Martin Luther** (1483-1546)

Martin Luther began the Reformation by nailing his Theses to the door of Wittenberg Church. He also was quoted as saying, "The papacy is the seat of the true and real Antichrist."





**John Wesley** (1703-1791)

When speaking of the papacy, John Wesley (founder of the Methodist church) said, "He is in an emphatical sense, the Man of Sin, as he increases all manner of sin above measure."

### John Knox (1505-1572)

John Knox was a Scottish Reformer and former slave who stated that the pope should easily be recognized as "the very antichrist." Like many others listed, he denounced Rome.



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